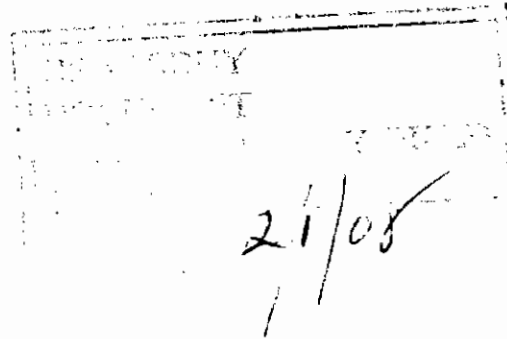


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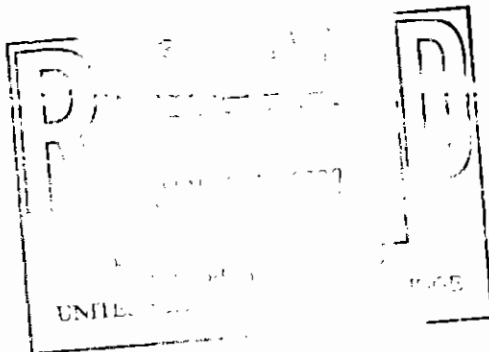
DEAR SIR:

In the matter of UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT. SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK: LAWRENCE TAYLOR (Petitioner) against ROBERT ERCOLE Superintendent, Green Haven Correctional Facility; I'm writing to request an extension of (30) days to effectively reply to Respondents DECLARATION in OPPOSITION to my Petition for a writ of Habeas Corpus.

I've just recently received a copy of the respondents papers, as well as the Magistrate's letter informing me of the FEBRUARY 11, 2008. deadline to reply. It takes at least a week minimum to be placed on the institutional "call-out" sheet, so I can utilize the LAW LIBRARY facility's, to effect a proper reply.

An extension of (30) days, until March 11, 2008. ...or there about, would be sufficient amount of time to carry out my task.

If your Honor could grant me this extension, It would be greatly appreciated.



SINCERELY.....

Lawrence Taylor

ENDORSED ORDER

Application granted. Petitioner's
reply is to be served and filed
by March 11, 2008.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

LAWRENCE TAYLOR,
Petitioner,

AFFIRMATION OF
SERVICE

-against-

ROBERT ERCOLE,
Superintendent,
Green Haven Correctional Facility,
Defendants.

I, LAWRENCE TAYLOR, declare under penalty of perjury that I have served a
copy of the Request for extension upon the below named party:
of time.

PRO SE OFFICE, UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.

ROBERT ERCOLE, SUPERINTENDENT, GREEN HAVEN
CORRECTIONAL FACILITY, RESPONDENT.

I declare under penalty of perjury that above statements are true and correct.

Dated: JANUARAY 22, 2008
Stormville, New York 12582

Respecfully submitted,

Lawrence Taylor